

Today's News - September 5, 2003

A colleague pays tribute to Cedric Price. – Sydney reports Westfield wants out of Ground Zero. – U.K. politics take on public spaces (or is it the other way around?). – Fixing the U.K.: "We are fast becoming a nation ignorant of how things are made or work even as the nation's infrastructure crumbles around us." – Pittsburgh parking lot destined to be a park. – Parking lots and light pollution. – Birmingham's Bullring perhaps not the big benefit hoped for (but readers' comments are glowing). – What's next: mutating buildings. – Cheers for Philadelphia's new nest for Eagles. – Detroit has high hopes and sweet music. – Plans for "invisible house" won't materialize. – Tour NYC green buildings. – Exhibition of ambitious visions.

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